Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

ROACH of Angelina, Acting Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 21, 1935. Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 17, Concerning development of lands by the Federal Government.

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

ROACH of Angelina, Acting Chairman.

Committee Room.

Austin, Texas, March 21, 1935. Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 31, Granting D. R. Pinney, of Hudspeth County, permission to bring suit against the State of Texas and the State Highway Commission.

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

ROACH of Angelina, Acting Chairman.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, March 21, 1935. Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 576, "An Act providing relief for the Reynard Common School District No. 55, and for the Mount Zion Common School District No. 42, of Houston County, Texas, in order to aid said school districts in rebuilding their schools which were destroyed by cyclone which struck the communities of Reynard and Mount Zion on the seventh day of February, 1935; providing for work relief; making an appropriation to said districts for said properties, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

ATCHISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 21, 1935.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 382, "An Act making an appropriation from the State Treasury for the preparation, checking, investigation and correction of the scholastic census to the State Department of Education, providing money for salaries, wages, rent, equipment, supplies, and necessary traveling expenses incident thereto for the sum of eighty-five hundred dollars (\$8,500), for the year ending September 1, 1935, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

ATCHISON, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 21, 1935. Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 425, "An Act making an appropriation of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated, for the support, maintenance, and extra help for the State Laboratories of the State Health Department; no salary paid out of this appropriation to exceed fifty dollars (\$50) per month, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

ATCHISON, Chairman.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

(Friday, March 22, 1935)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Hon. Albert G. Walker.

The roll was called, and the following members were present:

Adamson Broyles Burton Adkins Butler of Brazos Aikin Butler of Karnes Alsup Cagle Ash Caldwell Atchison Rourne Celaya Bradford Clayton

Collins Lemens Colson Leonard Cowley Lotief Craddock Lucas Crossley Luker Mauritz Daniel Davison of Fisher McConnell McFarland Davisson of Eastland McKee Dickison Moore Morrison Dunlap of Hays Dunlap of Kleberg Morse Newton England Fain Nicholson Olsen Farmer Fisher Patterson Fitzwater Payne Petsch Ford Fox Pope Quinn Frazer Reader Fuchs Gibson Reed of Bowie Reed of Dallas Glass Good Riddle Roach of Angelina Graves Roane Gray Greathouse Roark Roberts Hankamer Rogers Hanna Hardin Rutta Harris of Archer Scarborough Hartzog Settle Head Smith Spears Hill Stanfield Hofheinz Hoskins Steward Howard Stinson Huddleston Stovall Hunt Tarwater Jackson Tennyson James Thornton Jones of Atascosa Tillery Jones of Falls Walker Jones of Wise Wells Westfall Keefe Wood of Harrison King Wood of Montague Knetsch Worley Lange Lanning Young Latham Youngblood

Absent

Calvert Duvall Colquitt Dwyer Dunagan Padgett

Absent—Excused

Alexander Hodges Holland Beck Bergman Hunter Bradbury Hvder Jefferson Canon Jones of Runnels Cooper Jones of Shelby Davis Harris of Dallas Leath Lindsev Herzik

McCallaRoach of HuntMcKinneyRussellMoffettShofnerMorrisVenablePalmerWaggoner

A quorum was announced present.

Rev. Geo. W. Coltrin, Chaplain, offered the following invocation:

"Lord, in this troubled time, we pray that the spirit of peace may come upon the nations of the earth that are under the threat of war. Be Thou with our own land and State, our President, our Governor, and ourselves, to the end that together we may work well for the present and the future of our land. For Christ's sake. Amen."

COMMUNICATION FROM HON. COKE R. STEVENSON, SPEAKER

The Chair laid before the House, and had read, the following communication:

Austin, Texas, March 21, 1935.

Mrs. Louise Snow Phinney, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives, Austin, Texas.

Dear Madam: By the authority vested in me under Rule I, Section 10, of the Rules of the House of Representatives, Hon. Albert Walker of Wilbarger is hereby appointed to preside during my absence.

COKE R. STEVENSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Venable for today, on motion of Mr. Bradford.

Mr. Jefferson for today, on motion of Mr. Burton.

Mr. Jones of Shelby for today, on motion of Mr. Fain.

Mr. Russell for today, on motion of Mr. Lotief.

Mr. Moffett for today, on motion of Mr. Latham.

Mr. Roach of Hunt for today, on motion of Mr. Reed of Dallas.

Mr. Hodges for today, on motion of Mr. Aikin.

leave of absence on account of ill-

Mr. Leath for today, on motion of Mr. Daniel.

On motion of Mr. Aikin, the members of the Penitentiary Committee were granted leaves of absence for today, for the purpose of making an official inspection trip to the State Penitentiary System.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Palmer, Mr. Glass, Mr. Tarwater, Mr. Steward, Mr. Hoskins, Mr. Celaya, Mr. Jones of Falls, and

H. B. No. 855, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the right of ingress and egress to and from the public fresh waters of Texas as defined in Article 4026 and Article 4029 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, and allowing the use of the banks of such public fresh waters by fishermen without being guilty of trespass, etc., and declaring an emergency.'

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Hill and Mr. Padgett:

H. B. No. 856, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide that the Texas School for the Deaf shall be classed and conducted as an educational institution of the State; providing that it shall receive its per capita apportionment for all scholastics therein from the public school fund; that it shall be under the control of the State Board of Education as to educational work and as to the appointment of a superintendent, but under the supervision and control of the Board of Control otherwise, etc., and declaring an emergency.'

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Keefe:

H. B. No. 857, A bill to be entitled ture, page 276, Chapter 194, as fur- in the District Court of Ellis County, ther amended by Acts 1932, Forty- Texas, for damages sustained to his

The following member was granted second Legislature, Third Called Session, page 96, Chapter 32, and as further amended by Acts 1933, Fortythird Legislature, page 320, Chapter 122, and declaring an emergency.

> Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Keefe (by request):

H. B. No. 858, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 5048 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, as adopted in 1925, so as to provide that any insurance money payable under a policy or policies issued under this article shall be applied as far as necessary to cancel any debt against the assured held by the beneficiary or growing out of any transaction between assured and the beneficiary, provided the beneficiary is reimbursed for all premiums paid, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Insur-

By Mr. Dunlap of Hays:

H. B. No. 859, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation of eight thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$8,575) for materials to repair and construct buildings, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Appro-

priations.

By Mr. Tarwater:

H. B. No. 860, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Subdivision 64 of Article 199 of Title 8 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, to change and prescribe the terms and time of holding District Courts of the Sixty-fourth Judicial District of the State, composed of Hale, Lamb, Swisher, Castro, and Bailey Counties, giving additional time to Lamb County, and to conform all writs and process from such courts to such changes and to make all writs and process issued or served before this Act takes effect, etc., and declaring an emergency.'

Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Stovall:

H. B. No. 861, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting to John Mulkey of "An Act amending Article 4, Revised Ellis County, Texas, permission to Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as bring suit against the State of Texas amended Acts 1927, Fortieth Legisla- and the State Highway Department, property by the construction of roadbed and excavating sides of roadbed adjacent to and upon his land on Highway No. 8 in Ellis County, Texas, impounding water on his land and destroying his farm, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

ADDITIONAL SIGNERS OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLU-TION AND HOUSE BILL

By unanimous consent of the House, the following members were authorized to sign House bill and House joint resolution, as follows:

Mr. Howard: House Bill No. 728. Messrs. Jones of Shelby and Fain: House Joint Resolution No. 6.

GRANTING PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

Mr. Morse offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 51, Granting H. B. McElmurray and Mrs. H. B. McElmurray permission to sue the State of Texas.

Whereas, On or about the eighth day of July, 1932, H. B. McElmurray and Mrs. H. B. McElmurray received serious and permanent injuries while driving upon a stretch of highway known as U. S. 80, running between Kent, Texas, and Van Horn, Texas, at a point in Culberson County, Texas, at which time the automobile of the parties was wrecked and serious and permanent injuries inflicted upon Mrs. H. B. McElmurray, who was an occupant of the car with her said husband; and

Whereas, The said McElmurray and wife claim that said injuries were directly and proximately caused by the negligence of the State Highway Department, in that said Highway Department had permitted boulders of rock to be left on said highway, and that an auto belonging to the Highway Department, and being operated by one of the State's employes, negligently and carelessly forced the car of the McElmurrays into contact with said boulder of rock; and

Whereas, Said McElmurrays claim that the State of Texas and its Highway Department are liable for said injuries so inflicted; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the said H. B. McElmurray and Mrs. H. B. McElmurray are hereby granted permission to bring suit against the State of Texas and the State Highway Department and the State Highway Commission in a court of competent jurisdiction in Travis County, Texas, to ascertain and fix the amount, if any, the State Highway Commission and the State of Texas is indebted to the said Mc-Elmurrays on account of said injuries so alleged to have been inflicted upon them. And in case such suit is filed service of citation shall be had upon the Governor of the State of Texas, the Chairman of the Highway Commission, and the Attorney General of Texas, and that said suit may be prosecuted regardless of any claim of limitation upon the part of the defendants therein, and that either party hereto shall have the right of appeal without the execution of a bond, and any judgment that may be finally established against the State of Texas and the Highway Commission of Texas in said suit shall be a liquidated debt and shall be paid by the Highway Commission of Texas out of the funds in its hands and under its control.

The resolution was read second time, and was referred, by the Chair, to the Committee on State Affairs.

RELATIVE TO CONVENTION ON LABOR

Mr. Youngblood offered the following resolution:

Whereas, On May 13, 1935, in the City of Waco, Texas, the representatives of eighty-five thousand workers from the State of Texas will meet to discuss problems of labor; and

Whereas, The Legislature of the State of Texas should be properly informed of the needs of legislation for these workers so that it will be able to cope with legislation coming before it and affecting these workers; therefore, be it

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Youngblood, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Labor.

RELATIVE TO APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE IN REGARD TO TEXAS-OKLAHOMA BOUNDARY LINE

Mr. Rogers offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 55, Relative to appointment of committee to determine boundary of Texas and Oklahoma.

Whereas, The northern boundary line of the Panhandle of Texas and the southern boundary line of the Panhandle of Oklahoma are in dispute, which results in constant confusion due to the fact that the States of Texas and Oklahoma are each asserting jurisdiction over a narrow strip of land between what is termed the "Cimarron Base Line" and a line surveyed under the authority of the General Land Office of the United States, and each State is attempting to exercise sovereignty over such strip, which makes it impossible for property owners to pay taxes in either State, disrupts the enforcement of criminal laws in said strip, and jeopardizes the title to both real and personal property therein, and brings about interminable confusion in the enforcement and administration of all law therein; and

Whereas, The land owners and all other peoples adjacent to the abovementioned disputed strip of land have for many years considered the so-called "Cimarron Base Line" the true boundary line between the States, and until recently the said "Cimarron Base Line" was also so considered and acted upon by the governments of the said States; and

Whereas, The land in the abovementioned disputed strip is claimed by residents of many States (but the majority of whom reside in Texas and Oklahoma, being about equally divided between the residents of said last mentioned States), and the large majority of which claimants (if not all) desire that the true boundary line be established upon the "Cimarron Base Line"; and

Whereas, The matter should be settled by a compact between the States involved, to be later ratified by the Congress of the United States, as prosave the useless and unnecessary ex- tee on State Affairs.

pense and labor incident to an adjustment and determination of the true boundary by litigation instituted in the Supreme Court of the United States; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, the Senate concurring, That a committee, consisting of two members of the Senate, to be selected by the Lieutenant Governor, and three members of the House of Representatives, to be selected by the Speaker, be appointed to represent the State of Texas in negotiating and bringing about the execution of a compact between the two States, settling and establishing the said "Cimarron Base Line," as the true boundary line between the States of Oklahoma and Texas, and in settling any other matters relating thereto; that such compact between the States be submitted to the present session of the Legislature of the State of Texas for the ratification; and that said committee use its good offices to bring about the submission of such compact to the Legislature of the State of Oklahoma and to the Congress of the United States for approval and ratification; and be it fur-

Resolved, That the necessary expenses incident to the execution of the compact, not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500) and such other expenses as may be necessary in establishing such true boundary, be paid out of the Contingent Fund on vouchers signed by the members of the committees from the respective houses; and be it further

Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be immediately furnished to the Governor of the State of Oklahoma and to the presiding officers of the Senate and House of Representatives of Oklahoma, and that they be requested to appoint a similar committee to negotiate a compact between the two States as soon as possible to the end that these matters may be settled, adjusted, and confirmed during the present session of the Legislatures of the States of Oklahoma and Texas.

ROGERS. AIKIN.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Knetsch, the resvided by law and usage, and thereby olution was referred to the Commit-

RELATIVE TO AUTO LICENSE PLATES OF 1936

Mr. Wood of Harrison offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 60, Relative to autolicense plates of 1936.

Whereas, The year of 1936 will be the one hundredth year of Texas independence; and

Whereas, The people of Texas are going to celebrate the one hundredth year of Texas independence and progress; and

Whereas, The fact that many of our Texas cars and trucks travel out of State on business and vacations; and

Whereas, The fact that the traveling of these cars and trucks is one of the best advertising means possible; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Texas Highway Commission be requested that when manufacturing the license plates for the year of 1936, that they be made in the colors of our State Flag, and that the word "Centennial" be stamped upon each license plate manufactured.

Signed—Wood of Harrison, Wood of Montague, Rutta, Dunlap of Hays, Steward, Jefferson, Jackson, Smith, Cowley, Beck, Holland.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Hardin moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Lucas moved to table the motion by Mr. Hardin.

The motion to table prevailed.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

TO MEMORIALIZE CONGRESS IN REGARD TO TOWNSEND OLD AGE PENSION PLAN

Mr. Jones of Falls (by request) offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 62, Memorializing Congress in regard to Townsend old age pension plan.

Whereas, The problem of old age security has become a leading public issue; and

Whereas, The people of the State of Texas have become conscious of the need for Federal legislation aiming to make dependent old age more secure; and

Whereas, Many thousands of the people of this State have endorsed and recommended a plan known as "The Townsend Old Age Revolving Pension Plan," tending toward the accomplishment of these aims and the security of persons of this State in their old age; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly, the Senate concurring herein, That the Congress of the United States is hereby respectfully memorialized and urged to give every consideration to the said "The Townsend Old Age Revolving Pension Plan," if, as, and when the same is presented for its consideration; be it further

Resolved, That the Senators and Representatives of the State of Texas in the Congress of the United States be requested to take such necessary steps as will insure full consideration of the aforesaid "The Townsend Old Age Revolving Pension Plan," upon its presentation to the Congress of the United States, and that copies of this memorial be forwarded forthwith to the President of the Senate, to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States, and to the Senators and Representatives of the State of Texas.

JONES of Falls, CAGLE, SHOFNER.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Hankamer, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 475 ON FINAL PASSAGE

On motion of Mr. Morse, the vote by which House Bill No. 475 was finally passed, was reconsidered.

Question—Shall House Bill No. 475 be passed?

Mr. Dunlap of Kleberg offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 475 by adding a new section, to be numbered Section 2, which shall read as follows:

"Section 2. All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed."

And by renumbering the last section of said bill so that it shall be Section 3.

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 475 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—111

Adamson James Jones of Atascosa Adkins Aikin Jones of Falls Jones of Wise Alsup Ash King Atchison Knetsch Bradford Lanning **Broyles** Latham Burton Lemens Butler of Brazos Leonard Butler of Karnes Lotief Cagle Lucas Caldwell Luker Celaya Mauritz McConnell Clayton Collins McFarland Colquitt McKee Colson Moore Morrison Cowley Craddock Morse Daniel Newton Nicholson Davisson of Eastland Olsen Dickison Patterson Dunagan Payne Pope Dunlap of Hays Dunlap of Kleberg Quinn Dwyer England Reader Reed of Bowie Reed of Dallas Fain Farmer Riddle Roach of Angelina Fisher Roane Fitzwater Roark Fox Frazer Roberts Fuchs Rogers Gibson Rutta Scarborough Glass Good Smith Graves Spears Stanfield Gray Greathouse Steward Hankamer Stinson Stovall Hanna Hardin Tarwater Harris of Archer Tennyson Thornton Harris of Dallas Tillery Hartzog Walker Head Wells Hill Westfall Hofheinz Wood of Harrison Hoskins Howard Wood of Montague Worley Huddleston Hunt Young Youngblood Jackson

Absent

Bourne Crossley
Calvert Davison of Fisher

Duvall Padgett
Ford Petsch
Keefe Settle
Lange

Absent—Excused

Alexander Jones of Shelby Beck Leath Lindsey Bergman Bradbury McCalla Canon McKinney Cooper Moffett Davis Morris Herzik Palmer Roach of Hunt Hodges Holland Russell Hunter Shofner Hvder Venable Jefferson Waggoner Jones of Runnels

HOUSE BILL NO. 423 ON FINAL PASSAGE

On motion of Mr. Frazer, the vote by which House Bill No. 423 was finally passed, was reconsidered.

Question—Shall House Bill No. 423 be passed?

Mr. Frazer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 423 by inserting a new Section 2, after Section 1, and renumbering the sections accordingly, said Section 2 to read as follows:

"Section 2. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum of not less than ten dollars (\$10) nor more than twenty-five dollars (\$25)."

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 423 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas-104

Adamson Colquitt Colson Adkins Craddock Aikin Alsup Daniel Ash Davisson of Eastland Atchison Dickison Bourne Bradford Dunagan Dunlap of Hays Broyles Burton Dwyer Butler of Brazos England Butler of Karnes Fain Farmer Cagle Caldwell Fisher Fitzwater Celaya Fox Clayton

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Fuchs Newton Gibson Nicholson Glass Patterson Good Payne Graves Petsch Gray Pope Quinn Hankamer Reed of Bowie Hanna Hardin Reed of Dallas Harris of Archer Riddle Harris of Dallas Roach of Angelina Roark Head Roberts Hill Hofheinz Rogers Hoskins Rutta Scarborough Howard Huddleston Settle Hunt Smith Jackson Spears Jones of Falls Stanfield Jones of Wise Steward Stinson Keefe Knetsch Stovall Tarwater Lanning Latham Tennyson Lemens Thornton Tillery Lotief Lucas Walker

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Absent

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Calvert James Cowley Jones of Atascosa Crossley King Davison of Fisher Lange Dunlap of Kleberg Leonard Duvall Olsen Ford Padgett Greathouse Reader Hartzog Roane

Absent-Excused

Alexander Jones of Shelby Beck Leath Bergman Lindsey McCalla Bradbury Canon McKinney Moffett Cooper Davis Morris Herzik Palmer Roach of Hunt Hodges Holland Russell Hunter Shofner Venable Hyder Jefferson Waggoner Jones of Runnels

HOUSE BILL NO. 356 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 356, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Sections 3, 14, and 16, of the F. C. C. S. S. B. No. 49, Chapter 107, Acts of the Regular Session, Forty-first Legislature, 1929, relating to the salary of the Board of Pharmacy, providing renewal fees for licenses and prohibiting the use of the word "Pharmacy" where no registered pharmacist is employed, and fixing penalties, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 356 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Reader moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 356 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-106

Adamson Farmer Fisher Adkins Aikin **Fitzwater** Alsup Fox Frazer Ash Atchison Fuchs Gibson Bourne Bradford Glass Broyles Graves Burton Gray Greathouse Butler of Brazos Butler of Karnes Hankamer Hanna Caldwell Celaya Hardin Harris of Archer Clayton Collins Hartzog Colquitt Head Colson Hill Hofheinz Cowley Craddock Hoskins Daniel Howard Huddleston Davisson of Eastland Hunt Dickison Jackson James Dunagan Jones of Atascosa Dunlap of Hays Dunlap of Kleberg Jones of Falls Jones of Wise England Fain Keefe

Roach of Hunt Knetsch Lanning Roane Latham Roark Lemens Roberts Rogers Leonard Lotief Rutta Lucas Scarborough Luker Settle Mauritz Smith McConnell Spears McFarland Stanfield McKee Steward Moore Stovall Morrison Tennyson Morse Thornton Nicholson Tillery Walker Olsen Wells Patterson Payne Westfall Petsch Wood of Harrison Pope Wood of Montague Reader Worley Young Youngblood Reed of Dallas Riddle Roach of Angelina

Absent

Hunter Cagle Calvert Hyder Crossley King Davison of Fisher Lange Newton Duvall Dwyer Padgett Ford Quinn Reed of Bowie Good Herzik Stinson Holland Tarwater

Absent-Excused

Alexander Leath Lindsey Beck Bergman McCalla McKinney Bradbury Moffett Canon Cooper Morris Davis Palmer Harris of Dallas Russell Shofner Hodges Venable Jefferson Jones of Runnels Waggoner Jones of Shelby

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 356 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Aikin offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 356 by striking out "\$20" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "ten dollars (\$10) per day," and amend the caption to conform.

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 356 was then passed. Frazer

HOUSE BILL NO. 791 ON FINAL PASSAGE

On motion of Mr. Knetsch, the vote by which House Bill No. 791 was finally passed, was reconsidered.

Question—Shall House Bill No. 791 be passed?

Mr. Knetsch offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 791 by inserting a new Section 2, after Section 1, and renumbering the sections accordingly. Said new Section 2 to read as follows:

"Section 2. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not less than one dollar (\$1) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50)."

Amend the caption of House Bill No. 791 to conform with the changes and to the body of the bill.

The amendments were severally adopted.

House Bill No. 791 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas-106

Adamson Fuchs Adkins Gibson Aikin Glass Good Alsup Graves Ash Atchison Gray Greathouse Bourne Bradford Hankamer **Broyles** Hanna Hardin Burton Harris of Archer Butler of Brazos Butler of Karnes Harris of Dallas Cagle Head Caldwell Hill Hofheinz Celaya Hoskins Clayton Collins Howard Huddleston Colquitt Colson Hunt Jackson Cowley James Craddock Jones of Atascosa Daniel Davison of Fisher Jones of Falls Jones of Wise Davisson Keefe of Eastland Dickison King Dunagan Knetsch Dunlap of Hays Lanning England Latham Fain Lemens Farmer Leonard Lotief Fisher Fox Lucas Luker

Mauritz Rutta McConnell Scarborough McFarland Settle McKee Smith Moore Spears Morrison Stanfield Morse Steward Newton Stinson Nicholson Tarwater Thornton Olsen Patterson Tillery Payne Walker Wells Petsch Reed of Bowie Westfall Wood of Harrison Reed of Dallas Wood of Montague Riddle Roach of Angelina Worley Young Roark Youngblood Roberts Rogers

Absent

Calvert Lange Crossley Padgett Dunlap of Kleberg Pope Quinn Duvall Dwyer Reader Fitzwater Roane Stovall Ford Hartzog Tennyson

Absent-Excused

Jones of Shelby Alexander Leath Beck Lindsev Bergman McCalla Bradbury McKinney Canon Cooper Moffett Davis Morris Palmer Herzik Roach of Hunt Hodges Holland Russell Shofner Hunter Venable Hyder Jefferson Waggoner Jones of Runnels

HOUSE BILL NO. 101 ON SECOND READING

(By Unanimous Consent)

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 879 and Article 879-b of Chapter 6, Title 13, Revised Criminal Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts of the Fortieth Legislature, page 316, Chapter 215, and amended by Acts of the to take, kill, or possess any birds or Fourth Called Session of the Forty- animals in greater number than the first Legislature, page 29, Chapter | daily, weekly, or seasonal bag limit 19, providing an open season or pe- or number of such game birds and riod of time when it shall be lawful game animals permitted to be killed

to hunt, take, or kill wild mourning doves, wild quail of all kinds and wild Mexican pheasants, or chachalaca, in the North and South Zones as such zones are defined in Article 878 of the Revised Penal Code, etc., and declaring an emergency.'

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Young offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 101 in the printed copy by changing the figures "15th" to "16th," in line 34, on page 1, and lines 11 and 13, on page 2.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Caldwell offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 101 by inserting on page 2 thereof, after line 1, the following:

"Provided, however, that nothing in this section shall change the open season on wild mourning doves, as the same now exists, in Dimmit, Medina, Uvalde, and Zavala Counties."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Leonard offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 101 by adding the following and renumbering the sections to conform:

"Section 1. Article 879-a of the Penal Code of Texas, as amended by the Acts of 1929, Forty-first Legislature, page 173, Chapter 74, paragraph 1, and by the Acts of 1931, Fortysecond Legislature, page 238, Chapter 142, paragraph 2, is hereby amended so the same shall hereafter read as follows:

"'There shall be an open season or period of time when it shall be lawful to hunt, take, or kill wild whitewinged doves in the North White Wing Zone during the period from August 8 to October 31 of each year, both days inclusive; in the South White Wing Zone on each Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday, and no other days, during the period from August 20 to October 31 of each year, both days inclusive.'

Sec. 2. Article 881 of the Penal Code of Texas is hereby amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"'Article 881. It shall be unlawful

or taken, such bag limits to be as HOUSE BILL NO. 101 ON THIRD follows:

"'Wild mourning doves and wild white-winged doves, fifteen in any one day, and not more than forty-five in any one week of seven days, except that in the South White Wing Zone the bag limit on white-winged doves shall be twelve in any one day and not more than thirty-six in any one week of seven days, and it shall also be unlawful for anyone to transport from one county to another in the South White Wing Zone or from within the South White Wing Zone to without the South White Wing Zone more than twenty-four whitewinged doves.

"'Wild quail of all kinds, and wild Mexican pheasant, or chachalaca, twelve in any one day, and not more than thirty-six in any one week of seven days, and all kinds of varieties of these shall be considered in making up the limit of twelve.

"'Wild turkey gobblers, three during the open season of any one year, as herein provided.

"'Wild geese and brant of all kinds, four in any one day, and not more than twelve in any one week of seven days.

"'Wild ducks of all kinds, wild snipe of all kinds, wild black-bellied plover, wild yellowlegs, wild gallinule, or Indian hen, and wild coot, or mud hen, twenty-five in any one day, and not more than fifty in any one week of seven days; provided, that all kinds and varieties of game birds mentioned in this section shall be considered in making up the daily limit of twentyfive or weekly bag limit of fifty.

"'Wild prairie chicken, or pinnated grouse, five in any one day, and not to exceed ten in the open season of any one year.

"'Wild buck deer, two during the open season of any one year, as provided in this chapter.

"'Wild bear, one during the open season of any one year, as provided in this chapter.

"'Wild squirrel, ten in any one

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and to the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 101 was then passed to engrossment.

READING

Mr. Young moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 101 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-109

Adkins Hunt Jackson Aikin Jones of Atascosa Alsup Jones of Falls Ash Jones of Wise Atchison Keefe Bourne King Bradford Knetsch **Broyles** Lanning Burton Butler of Brazos Latham Butler of Karnes Lemens Leonard Cagle Caldwell Lotief Lucas Celaya Luker Clayton Mauritz Collins McConnellColquitt McFarland Colson Cowley McKee Moore Craddock Morrison Crossley Morse Daniel Davison of Fisher Newton Davisson Nicholson Olsen of Eastland Patterson Dickison Dunlap of Hays Payne Dunlap of Kleberg Petsch Pope England Quinn Fain Reader Farmer Reed of Bowie Fisher Reed of Dallas Fitzwater Fox Riddle Roach of Angelina Frazer Roane Fuchs Gibson Roark Roberts Glass Rogers Good Rutta Graves Settle Gray Greathouse Smith Spears Hankamer Stanfield Hanna Hardin Steward Harris of Archer Stinson Harris of Dallas Stovall Tennyson Hartzog Thornton Hill

Tillery

Wells

Westfall

Wood of Harrison

Hofheinz

Hoskins

Howard

Huddleston

Wood of Montague Young Youngblood Worley

Absent

Adamson James Calvert Lange Dunagan Padgett Duvall Scarborough Dwyer Tarwater Ford Walker Head

Absent—Excused

Alexander Jones of Shelby Beck Leath Bergman Lindsev Bradbury McCalla Canon McKinney Cooper Moffett Davis Morris Herzik Palmer Roach of Hunt Hodges Holland Russell Hunter Shofner Hyder Venable Waggoner Jefferson Jones of Runnels

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 101 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Scarborough, the House, at 11:15 o'clock a. m., adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, March 25.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills, as follows:

Reclamation: Conservation and House Bill No. 745.

Oil, Gas, and Mining: House Bill No. 266.

FORTIETH DAY

(Monday, March 25, 1935)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Stevenson.

The roll was called, and the following members were present:

Mr. Speaker Adamson Adkins Aikin Alexander Alsup Ash Atchison Beck Bourne Bradbury Bradford **Broyles** Burton Butler of Brazos Butler of Karnes Cagle Caldwell Calvert Canon Celaya Clayton Collins Colquitt Colson Cooper Cowley Craddock Crossley Daniel Davis Davison of Fisher Davisson of Eastland Dickison Dunagan Dunlap of Hays Dunlap of Kleberg Padgett Duvall Dwyer England Fain Farmer Fisher Fitzwater Ford Fox Frazer Fuchs Gibson Glass Good Graves Gray Greathouse Hankamer Hanna Hardin Harris of Archer Harris of Dallas Hartzog Herzik Hill Hodges Hofheinz

Holland

Hoskins

Howard Huddleston Hunt Hunter Hyder Jackson James Jefferson Jones of Atascosa Jones of Falls Jones of Runnels Jones of Shelby Jones of Wise Keefe King Knetsch Lange Lanning Latham Leath Lemens Leonard Lindsev Lotief Lucas Luker McCalla McConnell McFarland McKee McKinney Moore Morris Morrison Morse Newton Olsen Palmer Patterson Petsch Pope Quinn Reed of Bowie Reed of Dallas Riddle Roach of Hunt Roane Roark Roberts Rogers Russell Rutta Scarborough Settle Shofner Smith Spears Stanfield Steward Stinson Stovall Tarwater Tennyson

Thornton

Waggoner

Tillery